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SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL INVITATION TO ENERGY CONFERENCE

REF: STATE 4153 AND 4156

1. IN ACCORDANCE REFTELS, I DELIVERED DIPLOMATIC NOTE WITH PRESIDENT NIXON'S PERSONAL MESSAGE TO GENERAL GOWON AND COPY OF MESSAGE TO OIL CONSUMERS TO MINEXTAFF AMERICA DEPARTMENT DIRECTOR OLISEMEKA 1830 LOCAL JANUARY 9. HE SAID HE WOULD GET THESE COMMUNICATIONS TO GEN GOWON AT ONCE AND ASSURED ME THERE WAS NO QUESTION OF RELEASE OF TEXTS BEFORE THE EMBARGO DATE.

2. OLISEMEKA EXPRESSED GRATITUTDE FOR THE LETTERS, WHICH HE SAID WILL BE STUDIED MOST CAREFULLY, AND HE CONCLUDED WITH THE HOPE THAT WE WOULD KEEP FMG INFORMED OF THE PROGRESS OF THIS EFFORT ON A CONTINUING BASIS. I ASSURED HIM THAT THE PROPOSAL WAS DESIGNED TO FORM THE

BASIS FOR A BROADER EXCHANGE BETWEEN CONSUMERS, ESPECIALLY LDC'S LIKE INDIA, AND PRODUCING COUNTRIES FOR THEIR MUTUAL BENEFIT AND WE WOULD DOUBTLESS BE HAVING FURTHER EXCHANGE ON THE SUBJECT.
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